Detail Reference Guide to Determining CMS Medicare + 35%

for Offices of the Insurance Commissioner (OIC)

Workers' Compensation Maximum Medical Reimbursement Fee Schedules Effective: July 1, 2012

Subsequent schedules should be updated each July 1 until further notice.

Codes listed with "0" or not listed are carrier/payor priced.

The absence or presence of a code does not indicate workers' compensation coverage.

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Calculate the OIC Maximum Medical Reimbursement with the following formula(s): (Formula component 1.35 below represents Medicare + 35%)

Medicare $Payment Amount^*$ fee, rounded x 1.35 = OIC Maximum Medical Reimbursement, rounded

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- 1. The following table is available from Medicare http://www.cms.gov/home/medicare.asp: Ambulatory Surgical Center (ASC) Payment.
- Within the Medicare website go to the link labeled Ambulatory Surgical Center (ASC) Payment, then go to the link labeled Addenda Updates. From there download the July 1 update prior to date of service. Use the appropriate estimated Medicare Payment Rate Table for date of service. For date of service between July 1 and June 30, the reimbursement effective on the July 1 immediately prior to date of service would apply. For example, for a January 10, 2013 date of service, the Medicare reimbursement information effective on July 1, 2012 would apply. In this example the 2012 zip file is titled: July 2012 ASC Approved HCPCS Code and Payment Rates; and the Microsoft Excel Worksheet is titled: July 2012 ASC web addenda_06.29.2012. View tabs at bottom of spreadsheet either surgical (July 2012 ASC AA) or ancillary (July 2012 ASC BB).
- 3. Calculate the fee by taking the Medicare fee from the column labeled (*Appropriate date*) Payment on appropriate tab (surgical or ancillary), round and multiply by 1.35 to get the OIC maximum allowable fee, rounded.